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## SENTENCED TO FIVE YEARS.

Glendive, Mont., Feb. 12.—Jerry McCarty, the baseball player, has been sentenced to five years in the state penitentiary for theft of nearly \$15,000 worth of diamonds from the trunks of C. B. Clausen, traveling salesman for a Minneapolis jewelry house.

## Football Player Dead.

New York, Feb. 12.—William Senate, 22 years old, of Brooklyn, is dead from injuries received in a football game, Feb. 1, when he was kicked in

Washington, Feb. 12.—Representative Lewis of Georgia has introduced a bill requiring the payment of 2 percent interest on government funds in national banks.

## General Brown Dead.

West Plains, Mo., Feb. 12.—Gen. Egbert Brown, who was in command of the Union troops at Brazos, Tex., in the last battle of the civil war, after peace had been declared, died here, aged 85 years. His burial will be at Cuba, Mo.

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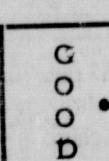
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Early in the day the senate passed a joint resolution submitting a constitutional amendment changing the time of presidential inaugurations and the termination and commencement of congresses from the 4th of March, to the last Thursday in April.

The voting on amendments to the oleomargarine bill in the house Tuesday indicated a considerable change of sentiment since last congress, when the bill had 106 majority, and that the opposition to the measure has gained strength.

While the passage of the bill is not endangered, it is not likely that the majority, when the final vote is taken, will exceed 30. The opposition Tuesday was strong enough in committee of the whole to adopt two important amendments, one providing that nothing in the act should be construed to prevent the manufacture and sale of oleomargarine in a state for consumption entirely within such state, and the other to provide for the inspection and branding of renovated or process butter. The latter amendment was especially obnoxious to the friends of the measure. Although the amendment commanded a majority of 20 in committee of the whole, where no record is made, it is not unlikely that the action of the committee will be reversed when members are obliged to go on record. Several committee amendments were adopted changing the phraseology of the bill, the most important being that making the 10-cent tax apply to oleomargarine made in imitation of butter "or any shade of yellow."

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## BOLL WEEVIL OF TEXAS.

Senator Culberson Asks Congressional Relief for Cotton Growers.

Washington, Feb. 12.—In the senate today in presenting the petition for congressional relief of cotton growers on account of the ravages of the cotton boll weevil, Mr. Culberson of Texas said the boll weevil had destroyed 200,000 bales of cotton in Texas alone during the past year, and on account of the ravages of the pest grave apprehension is felt for the cultivation of cotton in central and southeastern Texas.

A bill to ratify the act of the legislative assembly of Arizona providing for a display from Arizona at the international exposition to be held at St. Louis was passed.

At the conclusion of routine business the senate resumed the consideration of the Philippines tariff bill.

## Oleomargarine Bill Passed.

Washington, Feb. 12.—In the house this afternoon the motion to recommit the oleomargarine bill was lost by a vote of 112 to 161, and the bill then passed without division.

## Hohenzollern Reaches New York.

New York, Feb. 12.—The German imperial yacht Hohenzollern passed in at Sandy Hook lightship this morning, coming into port. The arrival of the Hohenzollern at this port was a surprise, as, according to her itinerary when she sailed, she was to touch at Bermuda. She left St. Thomas Saturday last, with Bermuda as her destination. It is surmised that she encountered heavy weather and found it advisable to change her course direct to New York.

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Two Days With the Veteran Horticulturists of South Texas!

Arriving at Sealy on the M. K. & T., about 10:30 Tuesday morning the train was met by a reception committee and a band though it was pouring rain, and each delegate and visitor was furnished with a badge and conducted to the hall where the South Texas Truck and Fruit Growers were already in session.

Upon adjournment for dinner, members and visitors were taken in charge by the citizens of Sealy and assigned to homes in the most hospitable manner. It was my good fortune to be taken, in company with the secretary, Col. A. D. Rust and wife, of Rock Island, to the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Jordan, and I must say that if all were as well taken care of we were at this hospitable home, the last one of them will visit Sealy again the very first opportunity—and I believe they were, judging by the satisfied air of all at the assembly for each session, though the weather was the roughest. A splendid program for the entertainment of the visitors was carried out at the hall, displaying fine local talent. Sealy is a fine town; full of good people, and her women are of the fairest.

Following are a few notes taken that are of especial interest to our truck growers:

#### CUCUMBERS.

From the discussion of "Cucumber Culture" we gather:

1st. It is a profitable crop to grow.

2nd. It is of great importance to plant varieties that are good shippers—that will reach the market with good, fresh, green appearance—the best being good strains of the White Spines, the Emeralds or the Evergreen varieties.

3rd. The size best suited to the market and shipping are from 5 to 8 inches in length and 2 to 2½ inches in diameter. If gathered smaller they will wilt and if gathered larger they will appear too old upon reaching the market.

They are best packed in one-third or one bushel boxes and can

be shipped by ordinary freight long distances without ice.

Prices range from \$2.00 a dozen for fine specimens in early shipments to 75c per bushel for late shipments. Large quantities can be profitably marketed at the latter price if shipped by freight.

#### PACKING TRUCK.

On "Successful Packing of Garden Truck," we had an able address from that experienced grower and shipper, Mr. Hugh M. Smith of Brookshire from which I took the following:

It is of the greatest importance to our success that we use the right kind of vegetables, packed in the right way and under the right conditions, using a neat and uniform package as near as possible and one that is used by everybody. It makes no difference how good your stuff is, if it doesn't look well the buyer is very apt to pass it by. We must please the eye of the buyer first and then tackle his taste. The 4-basket crate is the best, principally because it is standard; the buyer will take it in preference to a basket or other package holding more, because he knows what the 4-basket crate holds and he is not sure whether the other package holds more or less. He would rather know what he is paying his money for.

Beans are best shipped in one-third bushel boxes and next in bushel boxes; first piled and sweated, then dried and cooled, and packed tight and full. Radishes, in one-third bushel "chip" baskets without ice by express or in barrels with ice; the smaller packages sell the best. Cantaloupes, in bushel boxes. Squash, in bushel box or barrel. When you pack your vegetables, you pack your reputation with them, and your success or failure is due to the results.

Fill your package full and tight with good stuff; put in nothing but what you would pay your money for and eat yourself. Please the man who eats your vegetables and he will call for your truck again; otherwise you damage not only yourself but your community as well, for the buyer will not want any more of your stuff nor that shipped from your town.

There are good commission men as well as bad ones. There are bad packers as well as good packers. The commission man loves to get and sell good stuff; he will sell your good stuff well and treat you right to get more of it, if for no other reason, but if he is inclined to beat you at all, he will steal your bad stuff because he doesn't care whether the firms you ship to.

#### PLANS OF MARKETING.

A good paper was read by B. M. Anderson of Edna on "Successful Marketing of Truck." He said:

"There are plans of marketing, all coming under two general sys-

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The first shipment of NEW Spring Styles in GOLD and SILVER shirts. Soft Negligees with attached & detached cuffs to match.

## HUNTER & CHATHAM.

Men's Furnishings.

tems, the direct and the indirect—selling to buyers on the spot and consigning in the markets. There are some difficulties and disadvantages to be met with in both when not properly looked after. It is hard for the truckers to be successful growers and market men at the same time."

He strongly advocated the plan of growers having one man to make it a business to look after the markets, etc., for them. He emphasized the importance of packing.

"In selling to men on the ground, you do not always get the market value. In consigning, see that your truck goes direct to the market using it, so as to pay the minimum transportation charges.

We should grow in quantities to ship in car lots, so as to reduce the cost of transportation. High express rates add to prices and lessen profits.

Unsatisfactory results from consignments are largely due to mistakes of the shipper.

Overcome this by packing properly, knowing the markets and knowing the firms you ship to."

Each grower should be known by his number or have his name stamp and put it on each package he fills.

He emphasized very strongly the need of a cannery factory to work up the surplus, regulate the market, lengthen the season of profits and uphold the standard of prices.

#### TOMATO CULTURE.

On opening the subject of "Tomato Culture," the corresponding secretary, Mr. McHenry, remarked that he and the committee on programme had hoped to make this largely a tomato meeting, but regretted to say that the leaders on the subject were unable to attend on account of sickness.

A call for volunteers was made and responded to. Feeling that I should not be there to take all and give nothing, I volunteered some remarks that seemed to be well received, as I was kept on the floor answering questions some time after I had finished my talk. There was quite an interesting discussion on this subject.

#### OTHER CROPS.

From private conversation with a prominent commission man from Kansas City and others and with successful growers and experienced shippers, I gathered some valuable details in packing and loading cars to the best advantage, etc. I find that the squash would be a fine

crop to plant and grow to ship in ordinary freight without ice in mixed car lots with cucumbers, cabbage and potatoes. Shipped in this way, if we only got what would pay charges in express shipments, we would make money. Let us plant a good lot of squash and plenty of cucumbers.

#### WHAT I LEARNED.

Altogether, I feel that we are much benefited by my visit to the meeting at Sealy. Facts, pro or con, derived from such a source are to be relied upon. Here we get "straight goods;" we hear the whole experience straight through and unbiased. When you are shown the straight road to success, you are also warned of the stumbling-blocks and rough places. We are told of the mistakes and failures as well as of the richest successes so that we are better prepared to meet and overcome the former, making our chances more secure in reaching the latter.

"Experiment" can no longer be mentioned in connection with the enterprise of growing vegetables in Texas for the Northern markets. An enterprise that can live through adversities like those experienced by the truck-growing industry in the floods, freezes and drouths of the last three years in Texas and start out in a new year with the vim and courage that the old South Texas truck growers are showing now, is established on too firm a basis to be doubted. It is an established industry that has come to stay and that, notwithstanding the severe adversities, is growing stronger and stronger every day, and the invigorating influence of its growth will be felt by every enterprise and industry in the state.

McDUFF SIMPSON.

#### COTTONWOOD.

February 10.—Rev. J. M. Bullock filled his regular appointment at the Baptist church Saturday and Sunday.

C. H. Brown and wife and Miss Polly Hickman visited at Wewell last Sunday.

Misses Ella and Pearl Kurten visited in this community last week.

Roy Zimmerman spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

Misses Nellie Hudspeth and Mary Hester and Prof. R. E. Scott and Guy Harris attended the debate at Concord last Friday night.

J. C. Shaw and family visited in this community Sunday.

Mrs. M. A. Mansel went to Bryan on last Wednesday.

Mrs. Thomas visited at Alexandria Friday.

#### EDGE.

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### TRUCK AND FRUIT GROWERS AT SEALY

Two Days With the Veteran Horticulturists of South Texas!

Arriving at Sealy on the M., K. & T., about 10:30 Tuesday morning the train was met by a reception committee and a band though it was pouring rain, and each delegate and visitor was furnished with a badge and conducted to the hall where the South Texas Truck and Fruit Growers were already in session.

Upon adjournment for dinner, members and visitors were taken in charge by the citizens of Sealy and assigned to homes in the most hospitable manner. It was my good fortune to be taken, in company with the secretary, Col. A. D. Rust and wife, of Rock Island, to the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Jordan, and I must say that if all were as well taken care of we were at this hospitable home, the last one of them will visit Sealy again the very first opportunity—and I believe they were, judging by the satisfied air of all at the assembly for each session, though the weather was the roughest. A splendid program for the entertainment of the visitors was carried out at the hall, displaying fine local talent. Sealy is a fine town; full of good people, and her women are of the fairest.

Following are a few notes taken that are of especial interest to our truck growers:

#### CUCUMBERS.

From the discussion of "Cucumber Culture" we gather:

1st. It is a profitable crop to grow.

2nd. It is of great importance to plant varieties that are good shippers—that will reach the market with good, fresh, green appearance—the best being good strains of the White Spines, the Emeralds or the Evergreen varieties.

3rd. The size best suited to the market and shipping are from 5 to 8 inches in length and 2 to 2½ inches in diameter. If gathered smaller they will wilt and if gathered larger they will appear too old upon reaching the market.

They are best packed in one-third or one bushel boxes and can

be shipped by ordinary freight long distances without ice.

Prices range from \$2.00 a dozen for fine specimens in early shipments to 75c per bushel for late shipments. Large quantities can be profitably marketed at the latter price if shipped by freight.

#### PACKING TRUCK.

On "Successful Packing of Garden Truck," we had an able address from that experienced grower and shipper, Mr. Hugh M. Smith of Brookshire from which I took the following:

It is of the greatest importance to our success that we use the right kind of vegetables, packed in the right way and under the right conditions, using a neat and uniform package as near as possible and one that is used by everybody. It makes no difference how good your stuff is, if it doesn't look well the buyer is very apt to pass it by. We must please the eye of the buyer first and then tackle his taste. The 4-basket crate is the best, principally because it is standard; the buyer will take it in preference to a basket or other package holding more, because he knows what the 4-basket crate holds and he is not sure whether the other package holds more or less. He would rather know what he is paying his money for.

Beans are best shipped in one-third bushel boxes and next in bushel boxes; first piled and sweated, then dried and cooled, and packed tight and full. Radishes, in one-third bushel "chip" baskets without ice by express or in barrels with ice; the smaller packages sell the best. Cantaloupes, in bushel boxes. Squash, in bushel box or barrel. When you pack your vegetables, you pack your reputation with them, and your success or failure is due to the results.

Fill your package full and tight with good stuff; put in nothing but what you would pay YOUR money for and eat yourself. Please the man who eats your vegetables and he will call for your truck again; otherwise you damage not only yourself but your community as well, for the buyer will not want any more of your stuff nor that shipped from your town.

There are good commission men as well as bad ones. There are bad packers as well as good packers. The commission man loves to get and sell good stuff; he will sell your good stuff well and treat you right to get more of it, if for no other reason, but if he is inclined to beat you at all, he will steal your bad stuff because he doesn't care whether you ship him again or not.

#### PLANS OF MARKETING.

A good paper was read by B. M. Anderson of Edna on "Successful Marketing of Truck." He said:

"There are plans of marketing, all coming under two general sys-

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tems, the direct and the indirect—selling to buyers on the spot and consigning in the markets. There are some difficulties and disadvantages to be met with in both when not properly looked after. It is hard for the truckers to be successful growers and market men at the same time."

He strongly advocated the plan of growers having one man to make it a business to look after the markets, etc., for them. He emphasized the importance of packing. "In selling to men on the ground, you do not always get the market value. In consigning, see that your truck goes direct to the market using it, so as to pay the minimum transportation charges. We should grow in quantities to ship in car lots, so as to reduce the cost of transportation. High express rates add to prices and lessen profits. Unsatisfactory results from consignments are largely due to mistakes of the shipper. Overcome this by packing properly, knowing the markets and knowing the firms you ship to."

Each grower should be known by his number or have his name stamp and put it on each package he fills.

He emphasized very strongly the need of a canning factory to work up the surplus, regulate the market, lengthen the season of profits and uphold the standard of prices.

#### TOMATO CULTURE.

On opening the subject of "Tomato Culture," the corresponding secretary, Mr. McHenry, remarked that he and the committee on programme had hoped to make this largely a tomato meeting, but regretted to say that the leaders on the subject were unable to attend on account of sickness. A call for volunteers was made and responded to. Feeling that I should not be there to take all and give nothing, I volunteered some remarks that seemed to be well received, as I was kept on the floor answering questions some time after I had finished my talk. There was quite an interesting discussion on this subject.

#### OTHER CROPS.

From private conversation with a prominent commission man from Kansas City and others and with successful growers and experienced shippers, I gathered some valuable details in packing and loading cars to the best advantage, etc. I find that the squash would be a fine

crop to plant and grow to ship in ordinary freight without ice in mixed car lots with cucumbers, cabbage and potatoes. Shipped in this way, if we only got what would pay charges in express shipments, we would make money. Let us plant a good lot of squash and plenty of cucumbers.

#### WHAT I LEARNED.

Altogether, I feel that we are much benefited by my visit to the meeting at Sealy. Facts, pro or con, derived from such a source are to be relied upon. Here we get "straight goods;" we hear the whole experience straight through and unbiased. When you are shown the straight road to success, you are also warned of the stumbling-blocks and rough places. We are told of the mistakes and failures as well as of the richest successes so that we are better prepared to meet and overcome the former, making our chances more secure in reaching the latter.

"Experiment" can no longer be mentioned in connection with the enterprise of growing vegetables in Texas for the Northern markets. An enterprise that can live through adversities like those experienced by the truck-growing industry in the floods, freezes and drouths of the last three years in Texas and start out in a new year with the vim and courage that the old South Texas truck growers are showing now, is established on too firm a basis to be doubted. It is an established industry that has come to stay and that, notwithstanding the severe adversities, is growing stronger and stronger every day, and the invigorating influence of its growth will be felt by every enterprise and industry in the state.

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#### COTTONWOOD.

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Roy Zimmerman spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

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That the foregoing provision shall also apply to all persons who are residents of a building in which there is or has been a case of smallpox.

That any person violating the provisions of this ordinance shall upon conviction therefor be fined in any sum not less than five dollars and not more than twenty-five dollars.

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Attest: C. M. SPELL, City Sec'y.

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#### SOUTHERN EDUCATION.

Northern Capitalists and Philanthropists Lending Aid to the Movement, New York, Feb. 12.—A movement to organize educational work in the United States, especially in the south, on a scale larger than has ever been attempted heretofore, has been gaining strength rapidly in this city within a few weeks. It has attracted the favor of a dozen or more men of great wealth, among them John D. Rockefeller and his son, who are said to have determined to give needed financial support. Several millions of dollars are ready to be pledged to the great undertaking, and abundant means will be available as soon as the plans for organization are completed.

The great educational organization will be in some measure a result of the investigations made by the Southern Educational conference. For several years men of means have been induced to join in the conference over plans for improving educational facilities in the south. It has been made plain at such conferences that the south was too poor to provide for its people, both white and black, as good schools as were needed. Several of the men concerned in the Southern Educational conference have been interested in the work done under the supervision of boards of trustees controlling the funds for education in the south provided by the late George Peabody and the late John Fox Peabody.

#### CONSULTING MERCHANTS.

President Jiminez Trying to Solve Difficulties of Santo Domingo.

New York, Feb. 12.—President Jiminez has invited merchants to attend a conference at Puerto Plata, Santo Domingo, says a dispatch from that city to the Herald. It is the intention to obtain their opinion as to the best means of solving the economic difficulties in Santo Domingo and of raising the prices on Dominican products.

The government favors a reciprocity treaty with the United States to save the sugar industry, and another with Spain to help the tobacco interests.

Revenues of the government are at present insufficient to pay the budget debts. It is necessary to impose new taxes.

President Jiminez is in favor of a property tax. He also suggests a new loan, but this plan has been received by the people with unfavorable comment.

President Jiminez is continuing his trip through Cibao to gather information regarding conditions.

#### Estate Left to Charity.

New York, Feb. 12.—Mrs. Julia Elime Brewster Brick, who died at the age of 80 in her home in Brooklyn, Feb. 3, bequeathed in her will, which has just been filed, a great portion of her estate, which is said to be worth nearly \$1,000,000, to charities in which she has been interested for 50 years. To the Joseph K. Brick Agricultural, Industrial and Normal school at Edgecombe, N. C., the bulk of her fortune goes. The American Missionary association is to take charge of this bequest, the exact value of which has not been learned.

#### X. I. T. Ranch Sale.

Chicago, Feb. 12.—The Capitol Land company, better known as the X. I. T. ranch, and situated in the Panhandle of Texas, of which the Fairwells of Chicago are the principal owners, has sold to the Reynolds Land and Cattle company 18,000 acres, to L. T. Clark 40,000 acres, to William J. Todd 50,000 acres, to the Matador Land and Cattle company 210,000 acres, to F. D. Wright 70,000 acres, and about 40,000 acres in smaller tracts to various purchasers.

#### Noted Baker Dead.

New York, Feb. 12.—Frank C. White, for many years the "official baker" of New York, is dead at White House, N. J., from paralysis. He supplied bread for the public institutions of this city and was rated as a millionaire. Mr. White became widely known for his charity in the Chicago fire, miners strikes in Pennsylvania and in supplying bread to returning soldiers at Montauk Point.

#### Drink Caused Her Downfall.

Omaha, Feb. 12.—The drink habit, acquired during life in the army, is given as the cause of his downfall by George Leonard, a member of a good family of Wisconsin, who served as second lieutenant in the Porto Rican campaign. Leonard was arrested while groping about the cellar of a sporting goods house, pleaded guilty to burglary, and was remanded to await sentence.

#### Contest Will Case Ended.

New York, Feb. 12.—In a decision by the New Jersey court of errors and appeals, the celebrated Laddis will case has been ended. The contestants did not furnish the required security. The estate at the start of the contest was valued at \$1,000,000; now it is rated at \$150,000.

#### New Postoffice in Soudan.

Washington, Feb. 12.—The Egyptian postal administration has advised this government that postoffices for the receipt and dispatch of registered mails have been established at Khartoum, Fashoda and 25 other places in Soudan.

#### Oklahoma Cattlemen.

Wichita, Kas., Feb. 12.—The Oklahoma Cattlemen's association opened a three days' session here Tuesday. Hon. Jerry Simpson delivered the welcoming address.

#### Clyde Fitch Ill.

New York, Feb. 12.—Clyde Fitch, the playwright, is ill in Atlantic City, with acute intestinal trouble. His condition is not thought to be serious.

## FORMED AN ALLIANCE

Great Britain and Japan to Help Each Other.

#### AGREEMENT SIGNED.

The Preservation of China and Corea Is to Be Maintained and Each Country Pledges Itself to by the Other There.

London, Feb. 11.—An important parliamentary paper has been issued, giving the terms of a practical alliance between Great Britain and Japan for the preservation of China and Corea. The paper covers dispatch sent by Lord Lansdowne, the secretary of state for foreign affairs, Jan. 30, to the British minister at Tokio, and comprises a signed copy of the agreement.

We each desire, says Lord Lansdowne, that the integrity and independence of the Chinese empire should be preserved and that there should be no disturbance of the territorial status quo, either in China or the adjoining regions.

The agreement declares that if either Great Britain or Japan, in defense of their respective interests in China and Corea, should become involved in war with another power, the other contracting party will maintain strict neutrality and use its efforts to prevent other powers from joining in the hostilities against its ally. If, in this event, any other power or powers should join in hostilities against that ally, the other contracting party will come to its assistance and will conduct war in common and make peace in mutual agreement with it.

The agreement came into effect immediately when it was signed on Jan. 30, and is to remain in force for five years and be binding for a year after either party denounces it. But if, when the date fixed for the expiration of the agreement arrives, either party thereto is actually engaged in war, the alliance shall continue until peace is concluded.

The agreement is signed by Lord Lansdowne and Baron Hayashi, the Japanese minister to Great Britain.

These ministers so well kept the secret that the paper issued after parliament had adjourned for the night, announcing the first important alliance between a western and a yellow or Asian race, comes as a startling surprise to the public, and although the idea of an alliance with Japan is likely to meet with general approval, the outcome of this sensational departure will be anticipated with no little anxiety. It is regarded as a direct move against Russia and to explain the abandonment of the colony of Wei Hai Wei.

#### To Fight Boll Worm.

Bonham, Tex., Feb. 12.—Fannin county is going to begin in time this year, and will meet the boll worm half way and fight it out. The following committee for the county has been appointed: J. M. Terry, chairman; W. A. Spangler, Dr. R. E. L. Kincaid, J. W. Rainey and Zac Smith. This committee will keep in touch with the organization recently perfected at Paris, and will keep the farmers of the county informed.

#### Collision on the Choctaw.

Hot Springs, Ark., Feb. 12.—A Choctaw, Oklahoma and Gulf passenger train crashed into the rear end of a Little Rock and Hot Springs passenger train at Gulpha, seven miles east of here. Conductor John Cox of the Choctaw train was badly crushed and sustained internal injuries. The Choctaw engine was buried in the Pullman sleeper of the other train, but fortunately there were no passengers in the sleeper.

#### Oldest Native Texan.

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#### LEAVING TEXAS.

Some Insurance Companies Say They Can Not Stand Anti-Trust Law.

Austin, Feb. 12.—A number of large insurance companies which have been doing business in Texas have informed the secretary of state that they have withdrawn from the state, owing to the operation of the anti-trust act, which requires that each company shall make affidavit that it does not belong to any bureau or organization which has for its object the fixing or maintaining of insurance rates. Nearly all of these companies are European concerns. The state commissioner of insurance has been advised that there are 11 insurance companies which did business in Texas last year which have announced their intention of withdrawing from this state. This will make 18 insurance companies to leave the state since the anti-trust act went into effect.

The suits recently instituted in Young county against fire insurance companies for heavy penalties for alleged violation of the anti-trust law are said to have caused several of these companies to resolve to quit the Texas field.

#### Ten Years for Murder.

Marlin, Tex., Feb. 12.—The case of Ed Logan, a negro 21 years of age, on a charge of murder committed on the streets of Marlin about one year ago when Neal Sealy, a negro man about 30 years of age, was killed, was on trial in the district court all day Monday. The jury returned a verdict finding the defendant guilty and assessing his punishment at confinement in the penitentiary for 10 years.

#### Gilham Held Responsible.

St. Louis, Feb. 12.—W. J. Gilham, proprietor of the Empire hotel which was burned Sunday, has been held responsible for the death of eleven persons who lost their lives as the result of the fire. The jury says his responsibility lay in his neglect to furnish fire escapes and life lines. Police Sergeant Hall testified that not a life would have been lost had there been fire escapes on the building.

#### First Woman Appointment.

Paris, Feb. 12.—Mme. Jean d'Villeneuve has been appointed secretary of the French consulate generale in New York. Her appointment marks a new departure, as it is believed to be the first time a woman has been appointed to a post in the diplomatic service.

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No. 103—Southbound—Passenger—Arrives.....7:00 p. m.  
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#### LOCAL NEWS.

Jim Morgan was in town yesterday. W. F. Gibbs was on the sick list yesterday.

F. F. Mulhall returned yesterday from Dallas.

Robert Armstrong returned from Waco yesterday.

Markham is back again and ready for work.

Dr. George R. Tabor of Anstis was here yesterday.

Arthur Carlton is here from Crockett visiting relatives.

G. W. Brown went up the road on business trip yesterday.

D. Giles was here from Houston between trains yesterday.

Fred Pryor went to Navasota and Houston yesterday.

J. A. Gibbs and Bob Lumpkin were here from Madisonville yesterday.

Robert W. Howell and J. W. Dyer attended the Mansfield performance at Houston Tuesday night.

Dr. O. S. Johnson returned to Navasota yesterday after attending the funeral of Evan Benbow.

Fresh celery, lettuce, radishes, beets, turnips, onions, etc., received daily. Howell Bros.

W. H. Benbow of Kurten gave the Eagle a call while in the city yesterday.

Wm. Smith and Miss Annie E. Ekstrom were married in this city Tuesday by Justice W. G. Mitchell.

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TUCKER HOUSE.

R M Whitaker, Ladonia; E G Palmer, E B Williams, Rogers Prairie; J E Marcey, Ft Worth.

CENTRAL.

W Americus, Navasota; T W Hoke, Prairie Plains; B Floyd and wife, Laredo; N O Summerlin.

**I. & G. N. Excursion Rates.**

Dates shown are those on which tickets are for sale:

Laredo, February 21, Washington's birthday celebration.

San Antonio, Jan. 31 and Feb. 2 and 3, I. O. O. F. state meeting.

Waco, Feb. 20 and 21, Green's bridge reunion.

Dallas, Feb. 11 and 12, People's party convention.

New Orleans, Feb. 5 to 10, Mardi Gras festivities.

Low excursion rates will be made for the above occasions, full particulars of which may be obtained from nearest ticket agent or by addressing D. J. Price, G. P. & T. A., Palestine, Texas.

Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Friley celebrated the twenty-eighth anniversary of their marriage last evening at the Baptist parsonage. A few friends were assembled for the occasion which was greatly enjoyed. Dr. Friley and his good wife are still in the prime of life and usefulness, although they are able to look back over more than a quarter of a century happily spent together in successful efforts for the uplifting of mankind.

Mr. Gaston Palmer and Miss Willie Edna Dilashaw were married yesterday at the court house by Justice Mitchell. The couple sat in a buggy while the ceremony was performed and left at once for home.

To Cure Dyspepsia and Indigestion. Sour Stomach or Heartburn, take Rex Dyspepsia Tablets. All druggists are authorized to refund money if they fail to cure. Price 50 cents. M. H. James, the leading druggist, Bryan, Texas.

**LORD DUFFERIN DEAD.**

**He Held Many Offices of Trust and Honor under Englh Government.**

London, Feb. 12.—The marquis of Dufferin, formerly governor general of Canada, and who had filled many diplomatic posts in English service, died at 6:25 o'clock this morning at his residence at Clarendon, County of Down, Ireland. Lord Dufferin had been long in ill health. He passed away peacefully after a night of total unconsciousness.

Lord Dufferin never wholly recovered from the shock he experienced as the result of the death of his son, Lord Ava, in South Africa, and the failure of the London and Globe Finance corporation and kindred concerns, of which he was a director, completed his breakdown.

Lord Clarendon, his eldest son, who is a clerk in the foreign office, and who married Florence, daughter of John H. Davis of New York, succeeds to the title, and another American joins the ranks of peers.

**COMMENTS ON ALLIANCE.**

**Some Newspapers Approve and Some Disapprove Such a Move.**

London, Feb. 12.—Liberal afternoon newspapers view with mixed feelings the alliance between Great Britain and Japan, and Conservative organs generally applaud it. The St. James Gazette (Conservative), expressed "Modified rapture at this wide departure from British traditional policy," but finds solace in the thought that the policy and interests of the United States are identical with those of Great Britain and Japan, and concludes: "Perhaps we shall find, when the policy of Great Britain is definitely known, that the United States is formally or informally a party to the league of peace in the far east. At any rate, no effort should be spared to secure its adhesion." The Westminster Gazette thinks that the alliance can be fairly termed offensive and defensive, and says that it therefore has a dangerously wide extension, and concludes that it looks something like inviting war.

**WELCOME FOR MRS. DAVIS.**

**Birmingham Warmly Greets the Wife of President of the Confederacy.**

Birmingham, Ala., Feb. 12.—There was a general reception at the Morris hotel this morning in honor of Mrs. Jefferson Davis, who arrived Tuesday evening. She is on her way to Jackson, Miss., where she will appear before the legislature to urge the purchase by the state of Mississippi of Beauvoir, the old Davis mansion. Hundreds of persons attended the reception and had the privilege of being greeted by Mrs. Davis. She was presented with badges by local camps of Confederate Veterans, and was the recipient of many beautiful flowers from the Daughters of the Confederacy. Mrs. Davis left on a special train.

It was learned here that Mrs. Davis had been offered in the north \$90,000 for Beauvoir, but refused to sell. She offers the place to Mississippi for \$10,000, provided the state will establish and maintain there a home for Confederate soldiers.

**SAVED FROM A MOB.**

**Man Accidentally Kills an Aged Woman Shooting at an Enemy.**

New Orleans, Feb. 12.—Willis Cooper of Amite City, La., was brought here hurriedly and lodged in the parish prison to escape lynching by an infuriated mob. While the carnival procession was in progress at Amite City, Cooper and William Perry renewed a previous difficulty. Cooper getting the worst of it, drew his pistol and fired four shots, not only killing Perry, but also Mrs. Faraba Russell, an aged lady who, surrounded by her children and grand-children, was witnessing the parade. The deplorable killing of Mrs. Russell created intense indignation, and the sheriff and his deputies had great difficulty in spiritizing Cooper away from the excited populace.

**SINKS THE CRESPO.**

**Revolutionary Steamer Libertador Destroys the Venezuelan Gunboat.**

Willemstad, Feb. 12.—A schooner which communicated Tuesday with the Venezuelan revolutionary steamer Libertador, confirms the report that the latter sank the Venezuelan gunboat General Crespo recently near Cumaredo. The captain and crew of the Crespo are prisoners on board the Libertador.

No confirmation has been obtained of the report that a naval engagement took place Monday last off the coast of Venezuela, though the sound of cannonading was heard here that morning.

The Venezuelan gunboat Bolivar is cruising in these waters. The Libertador is also off this island.

**Receiver for Wrecked Bank.**

Detroit, Feb. 12.—Judge Donovan has appointed the Union Trust company of this city receiver for the wrecked City Savings bank. The bond was fixed at \$600,000. Prosecuting Attorney Hunt has begun suit against the directors of the City Savings bank on behalf of Wayne county for \$250,000. The county is one of the heaviest depositors in the wrecked institution. Cashier Henry R. Andrews of the City Savings bank is reported weaker. His mind wanders and he has symptoms of recurrence of heart trouble.

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#### CITY ORDINANCE.

An ordinance to prohibit persons having or recovering from smallpox and residents of houses wherein there is or has been smallpox being on the streets without certificate of City Health Officer, and to provide a penalty therefor.

Be it ordained by the city council of the city of Bryan, Texas, that it shall be unlawful for any person having smallpox or who has had smallpox and is recovering therefrom, to go upon the streets of said city, without a certificate from the City Health Officer that such person has entirely recovered.

That the foregoing provision shall also apply to all persons who are residents of a building in which there is or has been a case of smallpox.

That any person violating the provisions of this ordinance shall upon conviction therefor be fined in any sum not less than five dollars and not more than twenty-five dollars.

J. S. MOORING, Mayor.

Attest: C. M. SPELL, City Sec'y.

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About one and one-quarter acres near schoolhouse in southeast part of town. Small new cottage, tenant house and well on premises. Price \$1000.

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Six room house and two lots of ground located four blocks from Main Street. Brick cistern on premises. Price \$1250.

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#### SOUTHERN EDUCATION.

*Northern Capitalists and Philanthropists Lending Aid to the Movement.*

New York, Feb. 12.—A movement to organize educational work in the United States, especially in the south, on a scale larger than has ever been attempted heretofore, has been gaining strength rapidly in this city within a few weeks. It has attracted the favor of a dozen or more men of great wealth, among them John D. Rockefeller and his son, who are said to have determined to give needed financial support. Several millions of dollars are ready to be pledged to the great undertaking, and abundant means will be available as soon as the plans for organization are completed.

The great educational organization will be in some measure a result of the investigations made by the Southern Educational conference. For several years men of means have been induced to join in the conference over plans for improving educational facilities in the south. It has been made plain at such conferences that the south was too poor to provide for its people, both white and black, as good schools as were needed. Several of the men concerned in the Southern Educational conference have been interested in the work done under the supervision of boards of trustees controlling the funds for education in the south provided by the late George Peabody and the late John Fox Peabody.

#### CONSULTING MERCHANTS.

*President Jiminez Trying to Soive Difficulties of Santo Domingo.*

New York, Feb. 12.—President Jiminez has invited merchants to attend a conference at Puerto Plata, Santo Domingo, says a dispatch from that city to the Herald. It is the intention to obtain their opinion as to the best means of solving the economical difficulties in Santo Domingo and of raising the prices on Dominican products.

The government favors a reciprocity treaty with the United States to save the sugar industry, and another with Spain to help the tobacco interests.

Revenues of the government are at present insufficient to pay the budget debts. It is necessary to impose new taxes.

President Jiminez is in favor of a property tax. He also suggests a new loan, but this plan has been received by the people with unfavorable comment.

President Jiminez is continuing his trip through Cibao to gather information regarding conditions.

#### Estate Left to Charity.

New York, Feb. 12.—Mrs. Julia Elm Brewster Brick, who died at the age of 80 in her home in Brooklyn, Feb. 3, bequeathed in her will, which has just been filed, a great portion of her estate, which is said to be worth nearly \$1,000,000, to charities in which she has been interested for 50 years. To the Joseph K. Brick Agricultural, Industrial and Normal school at Edgecombe, N. C., the bulk of her fortune goes. The American Missionary association is to take charge of this bequest, the exact value of which has not been learned.

#### X. I. T. Ranch Sale.

Chicago, Feb. 12.—The Capitol Land company, better known as the X. I. T. ranch, and situated in the Panhandle of Texas, of which the Farwells of Chicago are the principal owners, has sold to the Reynolds Land and Cattle company 18,000 acres, to L. T. Clark 40,000 acres, to William J. Todd 50,000 acres, to the Matador Land and Cattle company 210,000 acres, to F. D. Wright 70,000 acres, and about 40,000 acres in smaller tracts to various purchasers.

#### Noted Baker Dead.

New York, Feb. 12.—Frank C. White, for many years the "official baker" of New York, is dead at White House, N. J., from paralysis. He supplied bread for the public institutions of this city and was rated as a millionaire. Mr. White became widely known for his charity in the Chicago fire, miners strikes in Pennsylvania and in supplying bread to returning soldiers at Montauk Point.

#### Drink Caused Her Downfall.

Omaha, Feb. 12.—The drink habit, acquired during life in the army, is given as the cause of his downfall by George Leonard, a member of a good family of Wisconsin, who served as second lieutenant in the Porto Rican campaign. Leonard was arrested while groping about the cellar of a sporting goods house, pleaded guilty to burglary, and was remanded to await sentence.

#### Contest Will Case Ended.

New York, Feb. 12.—In a decision by the New Jersey court of errors and appeals, the celebrated Lauds will case has been ended. The contest was dismissed because the contestants did not furnish the required security. The estate at the start of the contest was valued at \$1,000,000; now it is rated at \$150,000.

#### New Postoffice in Soudan.

Washington, Feb. 12.—The Egyptian postal administration has advised this government that postoffices for the receipt and dispatch of registered mails have been established at Khartoum, Fashoda and 25 other places in Soudan.

#### Oklahoma Cattlemen.

Wichita, Kas., Feb. 12.—The Oklahoma Cattlemen's association opened a three days' session here Tuesday. Hon. Jerry Simpson delivered the welcoming address.

#### Clyde Fitch Ill.

New York, Feb. 12.—Clyde Fitch, the playwright, is ill in Atlantic City, with acute intestinal trouble. His condition is not thought to be serious.

## FORMED AN ALLIANCE

Great Britain and Japan to Help Each Other.

#### AGREEMENT SIGNED.

*The Preservation of China and Corea Is to Be Maintained and Each Country Pledges Itself to by the Other There.*

London, Feb. 11.—An important parliamentary paper has been issued, giving the terms of a practical alliance between Great Britain and Japan for the preservation of China and Corea. The paper covers a dispatch sent by Lord Lansdowne, the secretary of state for foreign affairs, Jan. 30, to the British minister at Tokio, and comprises a signed copy of the agreement.

We each desire, says Lord Lansdowne, that the integrity and independence of the Chinese empire should be preserved and that there should be no disturbance of the territorial status quo, either in China or the adjoining regions.

The agreement declares that if either Great Britain or Japan, in defense of their respective interests in China and Corea, should become involved in a war with another power, the other contracting party will maintain strict neutrality and use its efforts to prevent other powers from joining in the hostilities against its ally. If, in this event, any other power or powers should join in hostilities against that ally, the other contracting party will come to its assistance and will conduct war in common and make peace in mutual agreement with it.

The agreement came into effect immediately when it was signed on Jan. 30, and is to remain in force for five years and be binding for a year after either party denounces it. But if, when the date fixed for the expiration of the agreement arrives, either party thereto is actually engaged in war, the alliance shall continue until peace is concluded.

The agreement is signed by Lord Lansdowne and Baron Hayashi, the Japanese minister to Great Britain.

These ministers so well kept the secret that the paper issued after parliament had adjourned for the night, announcing the first important alliance between a western and a yellow or Asian race, comes as a startling surprise to the public, and although the idea of an alliance with Japan is likely to meet with general approval, the outcome of this sensational departure will be anticipated with no little anxiety. It is regarded as a direct move against Russia and to explain the abandonment of the colony of Wei Hui Wei.

#### To Fight Boll Worm.

Bonham, Tex., Feb. 12.—Fannin county is going to begin in time this year, and will meet the boll worm half way and fight it out. The following committee for the county has been appointed: J. M. Terry, chairman; W. A. Spangler, Dr. R. E. L. Kincaid, J. W. Rainey and Zac Smith. This committee will keep in touch with the organization recently perfected at Paris, and will keep the farmers of the county informed.

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#### ANOTHER NEW ROAD.

*Stillwell Projects One from Kansas City Through Texas to Mexico.*

Kansas City, Feb. 12.—Arthur E. Stillwell, builder of the Kansas City Southern and promoter of the Kansas City, Mexico and Orient railroad, has projected a short line from Kansas City to the City of Mexico, the Mexican port of Tampico and a new port on the Gulf of Mexico, opposite Brownsville, Tex. In furtherance of this project he has purchased the Hidalgo and Northeastern railroad which extends from the City of Mexico, northeast towards Tampico with termini at Pachuca Tortugas and Ireland, a total length of about 150 miles. The Panhandle and Gulf, the Texas corporation of the Orient railway, is chartered to build not only the line of the Orient from the Red River to the Rio Grande, but also a branch line from a point north of San Angelo, Tex., to a point near Brownsville, Tex.

This branch of the Orient will connect with the extension of the Hidalgo and Northeastern and will, with the main line of the Orient north of San Angelo, form the short line between Kansas City and City of Mexico. Leaving the line of the Orient railway at, or north of San Angelo, it will probably run through San Angelo and thence follow a direct course a little east or south to the Mexican border at or near Brownsville. Crossing the Rio Grande it will touch the Gulf of Mexico at a point where a new port will be opened. Extending south from this port the railroad will follow the coast line to the port of Tampico. From this port to the capital of the republic the line will be direct.

#### LEAVING TEXAS.

*Some Insurance Companies Say They Can Not Stand Anti-Trust Law.*

Austin, Feb. 12.—A number of large insurance companies which have been doing business in Texas have informed the secretary of state that they have withdrawn from the state owing to the operation of the anti-trust act, which requires that each company shall make affidavit that it does not belong to any bureau or organization which has for its object the fixing or maintaining of insurance rates. Nearly all of these companies are European concerns. The state commissioner of insurance has been advised that there are 11 insurance companies which did business in Texas last year which have announced their intention of withdrawing from this state. This will make 18 insurance companies to leave the state since the anti-trust act went into effect.

The suits recently instituted in Young county against fire insurance companies for heavy penalties for alleged violation of the anti-trust law are said to have caused several of these companies to resolve to quit the Texas field.

#### Ten Years for Murder.

Marlin, Tex., Feb. 12.—The case of Ed Logan, a negro 21 years of age, on a charge of murder committed on the streets of Marlin about one year ago when Neal Sealy, a negro man about 30 years of age, was killed, was on trial in the district court all day Monday. The jury returned a verdict finding the defendant guilty and assessing his punishment at confinement in the penitentiary for 10 years.

#### Gilham Held Responsible.

St. Louis, Feb. 12.—J. W. Gilham, proprietor of the Empire hotel which was burned Sunday, has been held responsible for the death of eleven persons who lost their lives as the result of the fire. The jury says his responsibility lay in his neglect to furnish fire escapes and life lines. Police Sergeant Hall testified that not a life would have been lost had there been fire escapes on the building.

#### Gould Buys St. Louis Property.

St. Louis, Feb. 12.—Property covering a total area of five blocks has been transferred to George J. Gould, president of the Missouri Pacific and Iron Mountain railway companies. The consideration was \$325,000. It is rumored that Mr. Gould has made the purchase for the purpose of building an immense freight yard facilities.

#### Robbed by Highwaymen.

Denton, Tex., Feb. 12.—A. F. Morris, proprietor of the only store at Hill, I. T., and A. E. Park, a bystander, were held up and robbed at the muzzle of Winchesters by two unmasked men. The victims were marched a safe distance away and released. The robbers got \$50 in money and some groceries.

#### First Woman Appointment.

Paris, Feb. 12.—Mme. Jean d'Villeneuve has been appointed secretary of the French consulate generale in New York. Her appointment marks a new departure, as it is believed to be the first time a woman has been appointed to a post in the diplomatic service.

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